Register now for Russia and the West!



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What's New @ Longmont Library February 2016

Featured Programs



Small Business Series: Mapping Out Your Business

February 10 at 6 pm Library Meeting Room

Learn to use mind mapping tools to increase productivity and create detailed plans for your business. More information on "mind mapping".

This is the sixth in a series of free workshops.

Panel Members: Mary Ann Ursich, Community Solutions; Rose Chamberlain, Coffee and Connections. Registration not required. Add to my calendar!



Many Faceted Songs of Love with Cousins of the Muse

February 14 at 7 pm Library Meeting Room

Join us for an afternoon of love songs with the duo Cousins of the Muse. Musicians Jeffrey Rodgers (hammered dulcimer) and Charlotte Roe (harp), and Special Guest Cynthia Jaffe (flute) of Colcannon explore the many different types of love expressed through music. Registration is not required for this

concert.

Add to my calendar!



Clases de Computación

February 11th at 6:30 pm (1st class) Library Meeting Room

Beginning computer classes in Spanish. Do you know someone who would like to learn more about using computers and is more comfortable leaning in Spanish? Please share this information. To register, phone Norma

Fuentes with Intercambio de Communidades at 303-776-7070, ext.3, or 720-427-8152. Classes are free; for adults; and taught at the Library.



Inrkwanted Job Hunters Workshop Series

February 17, April 20 and May 18 at 6:30 pm

No registration required. Meet in the 2nd Floor Unquiet Study Area.

Add to my calendar!

Career Counselor Jane McKean will guide job seekers and career changers through some key elements of a job hunt:

2/17: Negotiating a Salary

4/20: Writing Resumes and Cover Letters

5/18 Effective Interviewing



Russia and the West

February 25 at 7 pm Library Meeting Room **Registration is required.**

Register Here

Dr. Ian Feinhandler will explore the historical and ongoing tensions between Russia and the West. For many outside observers, the current tension between Russia and the West stems from the conflict over Ukraine. Ukraine gained independence from the Soviet Union in 1991; since then, it has been plagued with corrupt governance as well as energy dependence on Russia. As both the European Union (EU) and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) have expanded from Western Europe toward Russia, some in Ukraine see an opportunity to reduce corruption and break old ties with Russia, while Russia has significant interest in seeing Ukraine remain a satellite-state. However, the tension between Russia and the West exists at a temporal and geographic scale far beyond the Cold War or the current crisis in Ukraine.

ALL PROGRAMS ARE GENEROUSLY FUNDED BY THE FRIENDS OF THE LONGMONT LIBRARY - It is good to have Friends!





Tell us what you think about programs at the Library!
Only 8 questions; less than 2 minutes...

Take Survey

Curious about the result from last month's survey on Social Media? Check it out!



Love your Library? Be our Friend!

A \$10 membership to the Friends of the Longmont Library helps fund all your favorite library programs and services.

Your membership...
Allows one more child to participate in our Summer Reading Program

Sponsors a Resume Writing Workshop for a job seeker

Provides computer lab time for a local family without a computer

Learn More JOIN

Programs for Children



Storytime with the Tooth Fairy

Wednesday, February 10 at 10:15 and 11 am It's all about teeth! To celebrate National Chidren's Dental Health Month. DentaQuest has booked us a date with the Tooth Fairy! Best for ages 2 and older. Registration is not required.



Dogs Enjoy Afternoon Reading (D.E.A.R.)

Saturday, February 13 from 1-2 pm

Children of all ages are invited to read to specially trained dogs. Drop-in program, no registration required.

DEAR dogs are registered through Pet Partners.

Voting is Underway for One Book

4Colorado

Each spring the Longmont Library participates in a statewide book giveaway for all Colorado 4-year-olds.

Which book do you think should be given away for One Book 4Colorado? Help us



pick the winning book!
This year's contenders are:
One Drowsy Dragon
Giraffes Can't Dance
I Love You Stinky Face.

Watch the videos and vote for your favorite...

VOTE

Reading with preschoolers every day helps get kids ready to learn to read in kindergarten, and getting free books into homes makes that easier.

Programs for Teens

A new book club for teens in 8th-12th grades; Apply to join today online or at the CATS Desk



Great Stories Book Club

For teens in 8th through 12th grades. Applications are available at the Library and at the Youth Center. Space is limited to a maximum of 12 participants, and applications are due to the Library by February 8 at 9 pm. Participants must commit to attending all book group sessions.

The group will read three books:

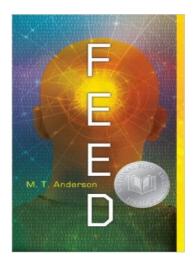
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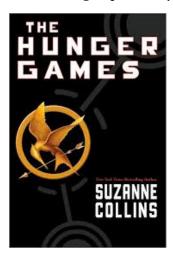
The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins

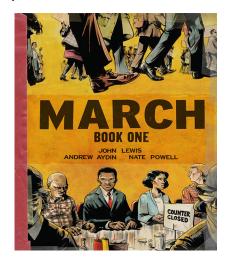
March: Book One by John Lewis, Andrew Aydin, and Nate Powell

These books were chosen by humanities scholars to resonate with young adults who may be reluctant readers and to introduce them to accessible and thought-provoking literature dealing with issues such as incarceration, violence, and poverty.

This innovative book group is a partnership between the Library and the Youth Center and is made possible by a grant from the American Library Association to conduct a Great Stories Club for at-risk youth in our community. Fifty libraries throughout the country were selected to receive grants and participate in this year's Great Stories Club programming.







More to Explore



More for Adults

First Thursdays Book Group

Empty Mansions by Dedman and Newell (Feb)

Molly Brown: Unraveling the Myth

by Kristen Iversen (Mar)

¡Hablemos! / Let's Talk!

Weekly Writer's Group

Second Mondays Book Group

Blood Brothers by Elias Chacour (Feb)
The Forgotten Garden by Kate Morton (Mar)

Friend's Monthly Book Sale



More for Children/Teens

Storytimes

Morning...Bedtime...Bilingual ...Multicultural...

Lego Club

Anime Club (Teen)

Chess Club

<u>Dogs Enjoy Afternoon Reading</u> (D.E.A.R.)

Teen Library Committee (TLC)

Teen Second Saturday

Homework Help

Recommended Books





A monthly list of the top 10 books that librarians across the country love!



Novelist

A premium book review and reader's advisory database provided by the Library.

You will need your library card number to enter this site.



Book Page

A monthly publication highlighting new books and great authors!

FRIENDS of the LIBRARY BOOK SALE

Everyone benefits when you shop the Friends Book Sale.



Monthly Book Sale - February 18-21

Thursday, 2 pm to 8:30 pm - **Note new start time at 2 pm!!!!** Friday and Saturday, 9 am to 4:30 pm Sunday, 1 pm to 4 pm - **Fill a bag on Sunday for \$5**

In the library meeting rooms and west lobby.

LEARN ABOUT THE FRIENDS



Library Closure - February 15th

The library will be closed on Monday, February 15th in observance of Presidents Day.







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